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I certify that none of the documents included herein have been denied by the Tribunal and that this document book has been examined with the prosecution in accordance with the ruling of the Tribunal dated 4 April 1940.

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Je certife qu'aucun des documents ci-inclus n'a été contesté par le Tribunal, et que ce livre de documents a été examiné par le Ministére Public suivant les règles du Tribunal, en date du 4 Avril 1940.

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Signature of Counsel

Signature de l'Avocat

Unterschrift des Verteidigers.

[signature]

Vert. d. Org. S.A.

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Compilation of Documents

submitted by the Defense and approved by the Prosecution

Document Book SA NS Rider Corps

SA Volume V

Nuernberg, August 1946.

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I Origin, structural and organization of NS Rider Corps

(Paragraph 6.a, figure I of the decision of 13.March 1946).

SA Document No. 56

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Extract from "Deutsches Kaltblut" (German utility horses) the official publication of Germany's breeders of utility horses, volume 6, 1933, page 1 (title page and page 223)

Communication on reorganization of horsemen's unions, into a National Socialist Rider Corps, a seperate organization with its own formations, not permanently incorporated into SA units.

SA Document No. 57

Diagram on the structure of the NS Rider Corps showing how it is attached to SA. Confirmed by a declaration in lieu of oath of Baron Traugott von Stackelberg.

The diagram shows that the NS Rider Corps was connected with the general SA only on the top level (Chief of Staff of SA). An independent branch organization, carrying on its sports activities independently.

II Tasks, Goals and Activity of NS Rider Corps

(Paragraph 6 a, figure I of decision of 13 March 46)

SA Document No. 59

Statute of the organization for cultivation of horsback mounting and riding sports and for the care of horses, at Aller/Leine (Hannover).

Paragraph 2 proviedes: the organization is to keep entirely aloof from political matters of all kinds, also after incoporation of the organization into the NS Rider Corps.

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SA Document No. 60

Letter of the Horsemen 's Association, Bad Soden/Taunus, of 28 September 1931.

The regional chairman of the Societies of Horsemen of that locality specifies explicitly that the societies are intende for the cultivation of riding and horseback mounting exclusively, and that political activities of all kinds are banned, a view which was maintained also after 1933.

SA Document No. 61

Statutes of Horsemen's League at Villingen/Baden

Paragraph 2 of this statute remained in effect for member of the NS Rider Corps. Even after "coordination" (Gleichschaltung).

SA Document No. 62

Service order of NS Rider Corps at Radolfzell/Southern Baden, of 14 September 1933.

The assault order is typical of the activity of the NS Rider Corps along strictly sport lines. Worthy of notice is: A certificate of personal conduct was the requirement for admission to NS Rider Corps; likewise the fact that hours fo divine service were taken into consideration when establishi the schedule of work hours.

SA Document No. 63

The Club for the cultivation of horseback mounting and riding, at Wiesbaden, is sending on 15 September 1936 an invitation to attend the first horseback riding, reaping and riding tournament of the SA horsemen regiment (SA Reiterstandarte) No. 150.

The invitation illustrates the strictly sportive character of the NS Rider Corps, also in Hessen.

SA Document No. 65

Calendar of "Activity Club of the Bergen's Horsemen's Unions" at Barmen, on autumn hunting.

The document shows the sportive character of the NS Rider Corps, also in the Rhineland.

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SA Document No. 66

Excerpt from Wiesbaden Tagblatt of 2 November 1936. Article entitled "Forward, Comrades, to horse" (Hunting report of NS Rider Corps in Hessen.)

The NS Rider Corps is listed here as a special unit beside the SA. It is noteworthy that the hunt concludes not with a political ceremonial but with a social gathering.

SA Document No. 67

Report of Wiesbaden Tagblatt of 29 January 1934 on the International Horseback Riding Tournament, held at Berlin in 1934.

Litzmann, the chief of the NS Rider Corps, is referred to as "Racing Sports Leader." Important is the notation at the end of the article. "Provision had even been made for a gay intermezzo; in keeping with the Carnival Season, 6 members of the SA Rider Corps, Assault Unit I, arranged for an extremely comical race the riders being masked, and of which SA-man Steiger was the winner."

III The NS Rider Corps did not carry on criminal activities along the lines claimed by the Prosecution.

SA Document No. 69

Pamphlet by Jenisch, the leader of horsemen riding in group formation, in the SS Rider Corps of South West Germany, entitled "Fundamental Training Theory to Obtain the Rider Certificate," - title page.

In this pamphlet officially destributed within the entire NS Rider Corps, not a single word is said of militaristic or political goals.

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SA Document No. 70

The stipulations laid down to win the "German Rider's Badge."

The win the German Rider's badge was the highest aspiration of all members of the NS Rider Corps. The document shows that political or military considerations have no part in the contest for aword of the rider's badge. The badge was a sport's badge of honor, since 1933 the only badge of this category which did not display the swastika.

SA Documents Nos. 101, 102, 103, 124.

Four photographs giving a typical portrayal of the activity of the NS Rider Corps. Confirmed by declaration in lieu of oath by Walter Stiebner and Rudolf Erpf.

Document 101: Participation of NS Rider Corps in the Bamberg Carnival Procession 1937/38.

Document 102/3: Resting during NS horseback riders' Sunday outing, in civilian clothes.

Document 124: NS Rider Corps paricipating in the Celebration of Schiller's Birthday anniversary at Marbach-on-the-Neckar.

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(Line 1 - line 5, incl.:)

"The German Utility Horse" (Deutsches Kaltblut)

Proprietors and Publishers:

The National Society of Utility Horse Breeders of Germany,

Registered Society, Head Office: Berlin.

Editor: Dr.KERN, Berlin SW 11, Schoenebergstr.13 II.

(Line 21 - line 22, incl.:)

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Defense Exhibit No.56

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(Line 43 - line 47, incl.:)

ORGANIZATION OF THE RIDING SOCIETIES. According to an announcement by the President of the Union of Provincial Riding Societies of Germany and Senior Provincial Riding Master, G.RAU, reorganization of the Riding Societies into a "National Socialist Riding Club" after the pattern of the "National Socialist Riding Club", is imminent so that the whole of the provincial riding societies will remain a special organization with its own membership, without permanent membership in sections of the SA.

(Appendix to Original)

I hereby certify that the above is a Photostat of a page from the book "Deutsches Kaltblut".

Signed A.J.SCHRADER jr.

Lt.Comdr. U.S.N.R. 15.361

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(Line 1 - line 20, incl.:)

Declaration in lieu of oath

Being informed of the consequences of a false declaration in lieu of oath I declare the following as submission for the International Military Tribunal:

I. For the person:

My name is Baron Traugot N.J. von STACKELBERG

born on 18. 3. 1891

in Reval/Esthonia

Religion Quaker

Calling Doctor

present address Degenhof/Tengen/Constance

II. Pertinent material

For many years I have been a member of the National Socialist Cavalry Corps Tengen/Baden. At tournaments which I often visited, I received an insight on the conditions of other units of the National Socialist Cavalry Corps and I can therefore form an opinion about the activity and the composition of the National Socialist Cavalry Corps.

On the basis of this fact I assert that the enclosed scheme of the organization of the National Socialist Cavalry Corps and its incorporation in the SA correspond to the actual conditions.

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(Line 1 - line 10, incl.:)

Affidavit by Bauer Fritz BUNKE, Buchten.

Statute

of the

Association for Riding, Driving and Taking Care of Horses (Reit-, Fahr- und Pferdepflege-verein) Aller-Leine.

Para. 1

The association bears the name " Association for Riding, Driving and Taking Care of Horses Aller-Leine" ("Reit-, Fahr und Pferdepflegeverein Aller-Leine").

Para. 2

The association has nothing to do with politics whatsoever.

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(Line 1 - line 6, incl.:)

RIDING CLUB Bad Soden A.TS. E.V.

28 September 1931

Gentlemen:

I have been informed by our chief riding teacher, Captain von Gustedt, that you have been assigned to our district as a new riding club.

(Line 23 - line 25, incl.:)

I further inform you that the riding clubs only have the task of driving and riding and that your club must refrain from all political activity.

(Line 30 - line 35, incl.:)

In the meantime I remain with sporting respect and with the German riding salute

For: s/ signature

District Chairman

From: J. EMMERICH, Bad Soden/Taunus, Hauptstrasse 39

Certified True Copy:

(signature)

Attorney-at-Law

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(Line 1 - line 22, incl.:)

STATUTES

of

The League of Horsemen of Villingen and Surroundings.

(Reiterbund Villingen und Umgebung)

Art.1: Name.

The League calls itself "League of Horsemen of Villingen and Surroundings."

Art.2: Aim.

The aim of the League is to train young people to ride horseback, drive, groom horses, and also in all fields of knowledge which will stimulate interest and understanding for horse breeding. The League shall devote itself to the breeding and care of horses. The League shall abstain from all political and religious activity. If possible a public tournament is to take place annually among the members of the League.

Moreover, the league intends to unite the friends of sport in social and companionable relations.

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Defense Exhibit No. 62

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S.A. Reitersturm Radolfzell

Radolfzell, 14 Sept., 1933

Sturm Order No. 2.

1. Examination of horses by veterinarians. The next examination takes place on Sunday, 17 September as follows:

14.00 hours in Reute. Assembly at the estate of v. Engelberg (for Reute) 15.30 hours in Haldenstetten for the parishes Haldenstetten, Guettingen, Stahringen and Homburg. The Scharfuehrers Aihem and Hecker have to take part in the examination. There must also be present the S.A. Reiteranwaerter Huebsohle, Emmerich, Lantermann, Bawmann and Stocker to whom the horses will be assigned by the Scharfuehrer. The Scharfuehrer should inform all owners of horses, also those who do not ride, in order that all horses could be examined.

2. Discussion with the owners of horses. The Scharfuehrer have to get into touch, if it had not been done already, with the riders under them, and especially with the owners of horses. It is urgently necessary that the owners of horses, who do not ride themselves, should know as soon as possible those to whom they entrust the horses and they should be informed about the service of horses, insurance etc.

3. The support of the Truppfuehrer by the Scharfuehrer is absolutely necessary. The Truppfuehrer Baechle Langenrain is to be supported as much as possible by the Scharfuehrer Hafner and Mueller assigned to him. In the interest of the service the Trupp - and Scharfuehrer must get into touch with each other and mutual help must be given in manual work. The hint must be sufficient.

4. Riding places. The Trupp and Scharfuehrer must look out immediately for riding places and to install them. The information on how far the work has progressed must be given by 20.9.

5. Announcements can still be made. Attention is once more called to the delivery of announcement sheets, passport photographs, certificates of good conduct. The Scharfuehrer are responsible that the papers should be finally dispatched. Respite granted immediately.

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6. Supply of uniforms. The question of uniforms should be settled in the next few days, but until then the acquisition must be postponed. A special instruction will be issued after the order comes through.

7. Service for Sunday 24 September: The horses to be brought out with bridoons, blankets with straps. Examination of horses, requisition and so on. Service time about 2 hours.
The service is so to be arranged that the riders can go to church.
The appointment of the service must be announced.

8. Announcement of the service order for riders. The Trupp - and Scharfuehrer are responsible to see to it that all orders are made known to all the riders. Incidentally, I shall convince myself whether this will be carried out properly.

9. The recruiting of horses and riders shall be the duty of each individual. The best way to have one is to get one.

Copy certified
s/ Dr. M. Loeffler
Attorney-at-Law

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Wiesbaden, 15 September 1936.

Wiesbaden Riding and Driving Club, Registered Society.

office: Pump-Room Building

Postal Account No. 33385 Frankfurt/M.

Circular No. 7/1936

To our Members.

1. Riding, jumping and driving rally by the S.A. Cavalry Unit 150 on 19 and 20 September 1936 at the "Unter den Eichen" Sports Ground.

The 1st riding, jumping and driving rally by the SA cavalry unit 150 in combination with the Wiesbaden Riding and Driving Club will take place at the "Unter den Eichen" Sports Ground on 19 and 20 September. The direction of the tournament has been assumed by SA cavalry commander Weidmann, commander of Cavalry Unit 150. Numerous entries have been made. The cavalry show will include a rich variety of interesting exhibition performances.

Saturday is intended as people's day. On this day, school children will get a seat for Rm.0.10. Adults will pay a uniform price of Rm.50 for a seat.

The show will begin Sunday morning with a parade at 8 o'clock. Particulars will be found in the days' papers. The charge for admittance on Sunday for members of the Armed Forces, Police and all sections of the Party in uniform, as well as for school children will be Rm.0.50. Reserved seats: RM 1.-to Rm. 2.50. All tickets for the Rally are

obtainable at both box offices of the Sports Ground.

On Sunday afternoon there will be a great parade by all Rally participants led by the Cavalry band Unit 150. The show will end at about 18 hours. The distribution of awards will take place directly after on the Sports Ground.

Our members are requested to note 24 October 1936 as opening date of this year's autumn hunting. Further particulars will be made known in the next circular.

Hunting.

With German cavalry salutation and Heil Hitler!

Wiesbaden Riding and Driving Club,

Registered Association.

Signed. Steppuhn, Lt. General retired.

President

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Barmen Riding and Driving Club, registered association W.BARMEN Tel. 55045

We have the honour to submit herewith the list of the

Autumn Hunts 1938.

Calendar

of the hunts scheduled by the Working Committee of the Bergish Riding Clubs.

Date	Locality	Organizers
10 Sept.1938 Saturday afternoon	Jouth Hunt	SA Rider units
10 Sept.1938 Sunday morning	Luentenbeck Castle	Faber Stables
17 Sept.1938 Saturday afternoon	Hunt Wuelfrath	Aprath Riding and Driving Club Wuelfrath together with the SA Riding Unit 10/72 Wuelfrath
24 Sept.1938 " "	Hunt"round about Schoeller"	Municipal police together with the SS Reiterstandarte Nachrichtenturm.
1 Oct. " " "	Hunt Fingscheid in direction	SA Reiterstandarte 72
"	Neviges-Langenberg	
8 Oct. " " "	Hunt behind the pack Luentenbeck Castle	Blank Stables
15 Oct. " " "	Youth Hunt	Riding school lessees of Wuppertal.
16 Oct. Sunday morning	Hunt Hückeswagen	Rider unit 3 & 4/72
22 Oct. Saturday afternoon	Hunt Ronsdorf	SA Rider unit 1/72 W-Ronsdorf together with Ronsd Riding Club.
29 Oct. " "	St. Hubert Hunt	Remscheid Riding and Driving Club, Remscheid.
5 Nov. " "	still open	

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Associations

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12 Oct.	Saturday afternoon	St. Hubert Hunt Barmen-Toelleturm with pack	General Lieutenant Hoepner together with the Barmen Riding and Driving Club and the other Clubs and associations

Alterations and changes of locality reserved ...

Special invitations will be sent out in due time for each event.

With German horseman's greetings ! for the "Working Committee of the Bergish Riding Clubs".

The Barmen Riding and Driving Club

Registered Association.

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(Line 86 - line 116, incl.:)

"Forward, Comrades, to horse, to horse !"

The possibilities afforded by the Rabengrund Ground and surrounding woods has been shown by St. Hubert Day held by the Wiesbaden Riding Club on 31 October. Favorable weather, wonderful hunting ground with every imaginable obstacle, congenial, enthusiastic sportsmen composed once agai of the Wehrmacht, the SA, the NSRK, the Wiesbaden Riding and Driving Club and the Wiesbaden riding groups, made the hunt an unforgettable experienc for the participants. But the numerous spectators had the rare enjoyment of being able to watch most of the hunt. The performance of Wiesbaden's sporting youth, richly represented, was amazing. The youngest participan deserves special mention. Dieter BUENING, who is only nine did not miss a single obstacle and turned up at the kill with every other participant receive his firbough from Frau GIESSEN. 58 boughs were awarded altogethe Capt. GIESSEN, retired, rode as hunt master and Oberleutnant RUCK and SA Obertruppfuehrer PABST as whippers-in. The harassed fox, coursed by stab owner WEISS was run to earth at the Adolf WEYGANDT Lodge. In an exciting final struggle Heinz BEGERE riding Chemist Herbert's "Epona" managed to qualify for the title of winner by snatching the fox's tail. The annual St. Hubert's day hunt for the Wiesbaden Riding Groups found a worthy conclusion in a spirited St. Hubert's celebration held in the candle-lit Pavilion Room of the Pump Room Building.

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(Column 1, line 1 - line 11, incl.:)

Wiesbadener Tagblatt.

Monday, 29 January 1934 No. 28 Page 13.

SUNDAY'S SPORTS.

New German Riding Victories at the Kaiserdamm.

For the great "Prize of the National Uprising".

As early as Sunday the International Berlin Riding Tournament saw its first high lights. The large hall had been sold out to the very last seat. On the platform of honor numerous representatives of the Reich Government could be seen, amongst others Minister President GOERING, Vice-Chancellor VON PAPEN, Minister for the Armed Forces Lieutenant-General (Generaloberst) VON BLOMBERG and the Leader of the Racing Sports LITZMANN.

(Column 3, line 34 - line 45, incl.:)

Good show numbers were included in the program. First of all, the secti riding of the riding-group of the German Youth Club (DJV) presented by troop-leader Paul WICZOREK drew favorable attention. The high school, which was excellently ridden by Miss SOEHNLEIN-PABST and Mr. WICZOREK, and which gave proof of precise mastery was a rare treat. A humorous interlude was also presented; in accordance with the carnaval-season, six members of the SA-Reitersturm I presented an extremely comical "masked race", which was received with much amusement, and which was won by SA-MAN STEIGER.

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(Line 1 - line 19, incl.:)

The Theoretical Basis

for

Obtaining the Horseman's Certificate

I. General care of horses

A. Bodily structure of the horse

B. Teaching of feeding

C. Grooming of horses and care of horses

D. Shoeing of horses

E. First aid for sick horses

F. The arrangement of makeshift stables

II. Driving instruction

G. The adjustment of the harness

H. The cross-rein 22 (Die Kreuzleine 22)

I. Driving from the box

K. Driving in street traffic

By Sturmhauptfuehrer R. JENISCH

Gruppenreiterfuehrer of the SA group South-West.

Stuttgart, November 1938.

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(Line 1 - line 5, incl.:)

German Rider's Badge

in Bronze - Silver - Gold

(if not applicable strike out)

(Line 11 - line 12, incl.:)

Members of the National Socialist Formation

Member of the Rider's Association.

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(Line 1 - line 15, incl.:)

The German Rider's Badge.

The purpose of the German Rider's Badge is to prove visibly to its holder that he has attained a certain measure of ability and knowledge of riding and the care and keeping of horses. This badge is supposed to be a public recognition and an incitement to further achievement in the saddle.

The German Rider's Badge comes under the Sports-Badges approved of by the Reich-Government (Reich Legal Gazette 1935, Part 1, No.127, page 1344 of 16 January 1935).

The German Rider's Badge is awarded in three classes:

class III in Bronze, Class II in Silver, class I in Gold together with a document by which the Reich Federation certifies that the person is the lawful owner of the badge.

The German Rider's Badge can be acquired by riders of both sexes who are German citizen of good reputation and of Arian descend within the framework of Reich laws and who at the date of their test have reached their 17th year.

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(Line 1 - line 15, incl.:)

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(Line 1 - line 19, incl.:)

Special tests for the German Rider's Badge in Bronze and Silver can be held at the Reich-Association, any Formation of the Wehrmacht, the Police, the N.S.R.K., the SA, the SS, the country Riders' Associations, any Riders' Association as well as by any Riding School or any Riding institut

Judges for Special Tests.

Following persons are qualified to take special tests for the German Rider's Badge in Bronze:

1) Persons who have passed the test of Reich-Riding teachers or Riding masters.
2) Holders of the German Riders' Badge in Silver or Gold.
3) Persons who previously received from the Reich Association or from the local commission competent for the testing of thoroughbred-horses a written certificate, entitling them to undertake the tasks of a judge in special tests for the German Rider's Badge in Bronze.
4) Members of the Wehrmacht who have obtained a written certificate entitling him to act as judge at special tests for the German Rider's Badge in Bronze from the Commander of the local competent district Riding and Driving School (Reserve) or by the Staff officer (R.u.F.) of the Army Command (Armed Forces).
5) Members of the SS, who have received from the SS leading head office for Riding and Driving or from the Commanders of SS Riding and Driving School and SS cavalry Divisions a written certificate entitling them to act as judge in special tests for the German Rider's Badge in Bronze.
6) The Commanders of Police-Schools for Riding and Driving, as well as members of the Police who have obtained a written attestation from the Inspector for Riding and Driving entitling them to act as judge in special tests for the German Rider's Badge in Bronze.

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Tournament, National Socialist Formation Riders' Association,

Riding Institute etc.

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(Line 7 - line 18, incl.:)

On 25 April Ernst GEIGER, son of shoemaker Geiger and Katharine Haug, daughter of the deceased shoemaker Abraham Haug, both of them from Ostdorf, were married.

On Sunday, 3 May, the Ostdorf people spent a happy day. The "SA-Sturm" Balingen composed of about 60 troopers from Balingen, Ebingen and Ostdorf held a riding, leaping and driving tournament in Ostdorf under the command of the SA-Colonel (Standartenfuehrer) von HEIDEN and the SA - 2nd Lieutenant (Sturmfuehrer), in the presence of the Oberbannfuehrer LAUFFER.

(Line 27 - line 37, incl.:)

What, however, should not be overlooked in a Christian parish paper is that in the morning the troopers marched up to the church in close procession and attended the parish divine service. The parish is of course very grateful to the fellow-guests because also on its great day they professed themselves faithful children of the parish, its life and work. It appreciates this much more considering the numerous external and internal disturbances which come in the wake of such a day.

(Line 72 - line 74, incl.:)

Published by the Evangelical Society in Stuttgart-S, Faerberstrasse 2, Phone 21998. For the contents of the general part: Dekan Gerhardt, Freudenstadt, is responsible. For the local part, the undersigned local parson is responsible.

In committee: Quell-Publishers of the Evangelical Society. Print of the Christian Belser A.G. Printing Works Suttgart.

" Ostdorf Parish Paper"

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Defense Exhibit No.101-103

(Page 1 of original)

(Line 1 - line 29, incl.)

Instructed regarding the consequences of a false declaration in lieu of oath, I declare in lieu of oath for the purpose of presentation to the International Military Tribunal in Nuernberg as follows:

I. re.myself:

Name	Walter STIEBNER
born	18 February 1892
at	Apolda in Thuringia
faith	Protestant
profession	master book printer
actual residence	Bamberg, Herzog Maxstrasse 7.

II. re. the case:

From the service and activity of the NS-Reiterkorps, Bamberg and surroundings I transmit the following photographs, which are typical.

Picture 1) Excursion on horseback of the SA Reitersturmes Bamberg with ladies in civilian clothes. I myself on foot in civilian clothes.

Picture 2) Rest during a Sunday excursion on horseback of the SA Reitersturmes with guests.

Picture 3, 4 and 5) Picture of carnival processions of the SA Reitersturmes Bamberg, as far as I can remember in the year 1937.

I certify the correctness of the above declaration in lieu of oath.

(signed) Walter STIEBER

(signed) R.Lloyd THOMAS
Maj. G.S.

I, Evelyn GLAZIER, being thoroughly conversant with the German and English languages certify that I have acted as interpreter for the swearing of this affidavit.

(signed) Evelyn GLAZIER.

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(Line 1 - line 18, incl.:)

Being informed of the consequences of a false affidavit, I submit the following in lieu of oath to the International Military Tribunal at Nuernberg:

I. To the person: My name is Rudolf ERPF,
born on 2. 10. 1887,
at Stuttgart.
Confession Protestant,
Present divelling-place: Coburg, ,Kanonenweg 7.

II. Relevant material:

Enclosed I transmit several photos which give a typical picture of the activities of the National Socialist Rider Corps at Ludwigsburg and Coburg, and namely ✓ the following photos:

1) The riders pictured here are members of the National Socialist Rider Corps Ludwigsburg, as well as a lady- companion; I myself am also present as a guest of the National Socialist Rider Corps (third from the left).

I certify in lieu of oath that this statement is true.

signed: Rudolf ERPF

Sworn before me at Nuernberg, Germany, this 26th day of June,

signed: Robert W. SPILNER
2nd Lt. Inf. o 1334040

I, Betty D. RICHARDSON, being fully conversant with the English and German languages, certify that I have acted as interpreter for the swearing of the above affidavit.

signed Betty D. RICHARDSON
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(signature)
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